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Sir:

SUPPLEMENTAL DECLARATION BY ASSIGNEE
ON BEHALF OF DARREN J. DAUGHERTY AND PAUL A. LANGER

I, Phil Franklin, Vice President of the Assignee of the above-captioned application, hereby declare that:

The following statements are made on information and belief that such statements are true:

Darren J. Daugherty and Paul A. Langer are joint inventors, with others, of the subject matter claimed in the above-captioned patent application. The other joint inventors are Monty F. Webb; Kurt A. Wattlelet and Dennis M. McCoy.

Darren J. Daugherty and Paul A. Langer either cannot be reached or refuse to sign a

supplemental declaration.

Attached hereto is a copy of an assignment document in which all right, title and interest in the above-captioned invention was assigned by Darren J. Daugherty and Paul A. Langer to their employer, Teccor Electronics.

On or about September 30, 2004, a letter enclosing a supplemental declaration was sent to the last known address of Paul A. Langer, namely 1808 Cedar Tree Drive, Fort Worth, Texas 76131. No response was received. Based on uncorroborated information, Paul A. Langer moved to the Midwest without leaving any forwarding address with Teccor Electronics. Attempts were made to find the new address of Paul A. Langer, but such attempts were fruitless.

On or about September 30, 2004, a letter enclosing a supplemental declaration was sent to the last known address of Darren J. Daugherty, namely 36 Cutler Street, Morristown, New Jersey 07960. This is the last known address known by Teccor Electronics. Again on October 29, 2004, a letter and supplemental declaration were sent to Darren J. Daugherty at the same address via Federal Express, requesting a signature. The Federal Express letter was delivered on November 1, 2004, but no signed supplemental declaration was ever received by Teccor Electronics.

I believe that the inventors named herein are the original and first inventors of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention, design or discovery entitled: PRIMARY TELEPHONE LINE PROTECTOR WITH FAILSAFE, the specification of which was filed January 11, 2000, as United States Application Number 09/481,446.

I believe that the subject matter of the amendments identified below was part of invention of Darren J. Daugherty and Paul A. Langer, and the other joint inventors identified above, and was invented by them before the filing date of the above-identified original application, for such invention;

- 1) Amendment and Response - dated November 17, 2003; and
- 2) Amendment and Response - dated May 6, 2004.

I believe that the inventors have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by the amendment specifically referred to above; and that they acknowledge the duty to disclose to the U. S. Patent and Trademark Office all information known to them which is material to patentability as defined in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

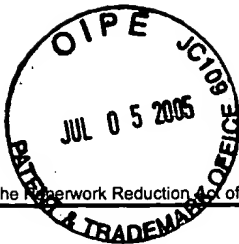
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By: 

Phil Franklin

Title: Vice President

Date: 6/09/05



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STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 3.73(b)

Applicant/Patent Owner: Darren J. Daugherty et al.

Application No./Patent No.: 09/481,460 Filed/Issue Date: January 11, 2000

Entitled: Primary Telephone Line Protector With Failsafe

Teccor Electronics, a Corporation
(Name of Assignee) (Type of Assignee, e.g., corporation, partnership, university, government agency, etc.)

states that it is:

1. ☒ the assignee of the entire right, title, and interest; or
2. ☐ an assignee of less than the entire right, title and interest.
The extent (by percentage) of its ownership interest is _____ %

in the patent application/patent identified above by virtue of either:

A. ☒ An assignment from the inventor(s) of the patent application/patent identified above. The assignment was recorded in the United States Patent and Trademark Office at Reel 10741, Frame 515, or for which a copy thereof is attached. 10764 827

OR

B. ☐ A chain of title from the inventor(s), of the patent application/patent identified above, to the current assignee as shown below:

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The undersigned (whose title is supplied below) is authorized to act on behalf of the assignee.

Phil Franklin

Printed or Typed Name

Vice President

Title

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This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 3.73(b). The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.11 and 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 12 minutes to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

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Dear Sir:

SUPPLEMENTAL DECLARATION ON BEHALF OF DECEASED INVENTOR

On behalf of the deceased joint inventor, Dennis M. McCoy, I hereby declare that:

My name is Carol G. McCoy (Executrix), I am a citizen of the United States of America, a

resident of 8862 Larchwood, Dallas, Texas 75238, and that I am the Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of the deceased, Dennis M. McCoy, late citizen of the United States of America, who was a late resident of 8862 Larchwood, Dallas, Texas 75238;

that I verily believe the said Dennis M. McCoy to be the original, first and joint inventor of the subject matter for which a patent is sought on the invention, design or discovery entitled:

PRIMARY TELEPHONE LINE PROTECTOR WITH FAILSAFE

the specification of which was filed January 11, 2000, as United States Application Number 09/481,446;

I hereby declare that the subject matter of the amendments identified below was part of the invention of Dennis M. McCoy and was invented by him before the filing date of the above-identified original application, for such invention;

- 1) Amendment and Response - dated November 17, 2003; and
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I acknowledge my duty to disclose to the U. S. Patent and Trademark Office all information known to me which is material to patentability as defined in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56.

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willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

Full Name First Inventor: **Darren J. Daugherty**

Inventor's Signature: _____

Date: _____

Residence (City, State): Irving, Texas

Citizenship: USA

Mailing Address: 725 Cowboy's Parkway, #2070, Irving, Texas 75063

Full Name of Second Inventor: **Dennis M. McCoy (deceased)**

Residence (City, State): Dallas, Texas

Citizenship: USA

Mailing Address: 8862 Larchwood, Dallas, Texas 75238

Executrix Signature: Carol G. McCoy

Executrix Printed Name: Carol G. McCoy

Residence: Dallas, Texas 75238

Date: September 29, 2004

Full Name of Third Inventor: **Monty F. Webb**

Inventor's Signature: _____

Date: _____

Residence (City, State): Richardson, Texas

Citizenship: USA

Mailing Address: 1933 Forestwood, Richardson, Texas 75081

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Full Name of Fourth Inventor: **Paul A. Langer**

Inventor's Signature: _____

Date: _____

Residence (City, State): Fort Worth, Texas

Citizenship: USA

Mailing Address: 1808 Cedar Tree Drive, Fort Worth, Texas 76131

Full Name of Fifth Inventor: **Kurt A. Wattleit**

Inventor's Signature: _____

Date: _____

Residence (City, State): Flower Mound, Texas

Citizenship: USA

Mailing Address: 1917 Concord Drive, Flower Mound, Texas 75022



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Date: _____

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Full Name of Third Inventor: **Monty F. Webb**

Inventor's Signature: Monty F. Webb

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Full Name of Fifth Inventor: **Kurt A. Wattleit**

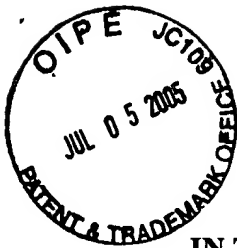
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Inventor's Signature: Kurt A. Wattleit

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